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Attn: Chemical Right-to-Know Program; Final Submission for Nitric Acid – 2-Ethylhexyl Ester from
HERTG (Registration Number

Dear Administrator Johnson:

On December 18, 2003, the American Chemistry Council, Petroleum Additives Panel, Health, Environmental and Regulatory Task Group (HERTG) submitted a test plan and supporting robust summaries for Nitric Acid, 2-Ethylhexyl Ester (CAS # 27247-96-7).

The HERTG has completed the proposed testing described in the test plan for Nitric Acid, 2-Ethylhexyl Ester. Attached to this letter are the HERTG's final HPV submission of the category analysis document and corresponding robust summaries which are submitted to fulfill the HERTG's HPV commitment for this chemical.

If you have any questions or comments, please contact me at (703) 741-5635 or via email at Susan_Lewis@americanchemistry.com.

Sincerely yours,

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